

## **GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

### **ABSTRACT**

Irrigation & CAD Department-Constitution implementation of State Ground Water Coordination Committee (SGWCC) for implementation of National Project on Aquifer Mapping and Management (NAQUIM) in A.P – Orders-Issued.

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### **IRRIGATION & COMMAND AREA DEVELOPMENT (GRC) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Ms.No. 13

Dated:28.02.2014

Read the following

- 1) From the Commissioner(SP), Lr.F.No.5/11/2012-GW,/20  
Government India, Ministry of Water Resources, dt:3.1.2014.
- 2) Govt memo. no.15604/ GRC/12, dated 25-01-2014.
- 3) From the Director Ground Water Department, Hyderabad,  
Letter.No.8544/HG.I[2]/2012, Dated:27-01-2014.
- 4) From the Regional Direction, GOI, CGWB, Bandlaguda,  
Hyderabad, Lr.No.T/4(2)/CGWB/SR/2013/182,  
dated:28.01.2014 .

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### **ORDER:-**

The Commissioner (SP), Government of India, Ministry of Water Resources, New Delhi, in his letter 1<sup>st</sup> read above, has requested the Government of Andhra Pradesh to constitute the State Ground Water Coordination Committee (SGWCC) and also to nominate a Nodal Department for participation in the “National Project on Aquifer Mapping & Management (NAQUIM)”,.

2) In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Director, Ground Water Department, Hyderabad has been requested to suggest members for constitution of the State Ground Water Coordination Committee (SGWCC), for Andhra Pradesh.

3) Accordingly, the Director, Ground Water Department, Hyderabad in the letter 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, has informed that the Ministry of Water Resources, Government of India, New Delhi has requested for constitution of the State Ground Water Coordination Committee (SGWCC) for Andhra Pradesh with the objective of implementation of National Aquifer Mapping and Management (NAQUIM), at State level, and the State Ground Water Department may be nominated as Nodal Department for participation on NAQUIM. Further, he has reported that the SGWCC will be Chaired by the Principal Secretary, I& CAD Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh and with representatives drawn from related departments, like Groundwater, Irrigation, Drinking Water, Agriculture, Forests etc., and also members from NGOs/Academicians/District Collectors/Members of Zilla Parishad on rotation basis. The Regional Director, Central Groundwater Board of the concerned State will be the Member Secretary.

4) The Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Commissioner (SP), Ministry of Water Resources, Government of India and the Director, Ground Water Department, Hyderabad, hereby constitute the State Ground Water Coordination Committee (SGWCC) with the following general Terms of Reference (TOR) of SGWCC and with the following list of members for SGWCC in the state with the Regional Director, CGWB as a member Secretary. Further, the State Ground Water Department is nominated as Nodal Department for participation in NAQUIM, in the State.

#### **a) Terms of Reference:**

- i) Overall coordination for the implementation for the activities envisaged under NAQUIM.
- ii) To coordinate and ensure time bound data collection and data sharing from various State Government Organizations.
- iii) To suggest suitable modifications in the Aquifer Maps and Aquifer

Management plans for its implementation through Participatory Ground Water Management (PGWM)

- iv) To suggest protocols for participatory Ground Water Management (PGWM)
- v) To identify / implement activities for convergence with MGNREGS and other schemes.

b) Tentative Composition:

1.	Secretary, (I&CAD), Govt. of A.P.	Chairman
2	Special Secretary, I&CAD, Govt. of A.P.	Member
3	Director, Ground Water Department, Govt. of A.P	Member
4	Engineer-in-Chief, I&CAD, Govt. of A.P	Member
5	Engineer-in-Chief, I&CAD, Major Irrigation, Govt of A.P	Member
6	Engineer-in-Chief, I&CAD, Medium Irrigation Govt of A.P	Member
7	Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Govt. of A.P	Member
8	Commissioner, Municipal Administration, Govt. of A.P	Member
9	Commissioner, Agriculture Department, Govt. of AP	Member
10	Director General, APSRAC, Govt. of A.P	Member
11	Director General, WALAMTARI, GoAP	Member
12	Commissioner, CADA, Govt. of A.P	Member
13	Chief Engineer, Minor Irrigation, Govt. of A.P	Member
14	Special Commissioner, Rural Development	Member
15	Collector, Mahabubnagar	Member (on yearly rotation basis)
16	Collector, Anantapur	Member (on yearly rotation basis)
17	Collector, Prakasam	Member (on yearly rotation basis)
18	Nominee of Vice Chancellor, JNTU, Hyderabad (from Centre for Water Resources)	Member
19	Nominee of Vice Chancellor, Osmania University, Hyderabad (from Applied Geology)	Member
20	Nominee of Vice Chancellor, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam (from Dept.of Geophysics)	Member
21	Representative of BIRDS (NGO)	Member
22	Representative of VASAN (NGO)	Member
23	Nominee of Director, NGRI, Hyderabad	Member
24	Head, Water Resources Dept., NIIT, Warangal	Member
25	Representative from APARD, Hyderabad	Member
26	Director Economic and Statics, Hyderabad	Member
27	Regional Director, Central Ground Water Board, Southern Region, Hyderabad	Member Secretary

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**D.KADMIEL  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Commissioner(SP), Government India, Ministry of Water Resources, New Delhi.  
The Director, Ground Water Department, Hyderabad.

All the concerned members, through the Director, Ground Water Department, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Regional Director, Central Ground Water Board, Southern Region, GSI Post, Bandlaguda, Hyderabad – 500 068.

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**SECTION OFFICER**